



Observation of ZZ Production at DØ

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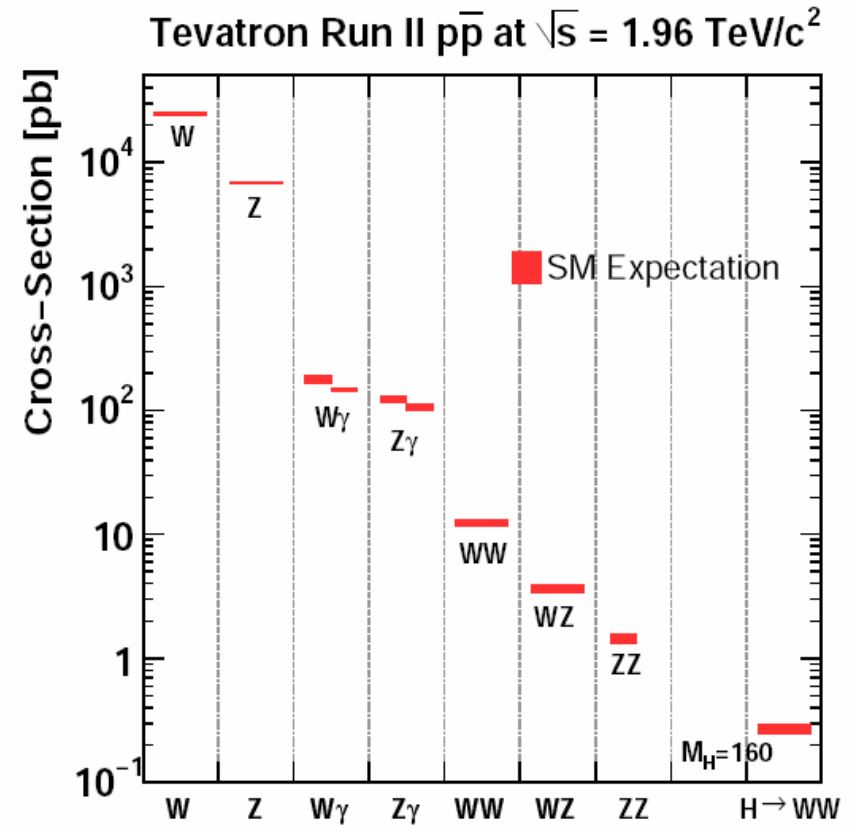
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Diboson Physics at the Tevatron



- ★ Measure production cross sections
- ★ Probe gauge boson self-interactions
 - ◆ Consequence of non-Abelian nature of $SU(2)_L \otimes U(1)_Y$
 - ◆ One of the least tested areas of the SM
- ★ Sensitive to new physics in trilinear gauge couplings (TGC)
 - ◆ Different combinations of couplings
 - ◆ Evidenced by increase in measured cross section relative to Standard Model
- ★ Probe for new heavy resonances decaying into dibosons
- ★ Backgrounds to numerous channels:
 - ◆ Higgs; SUSY; $t\bar{t}$





Previous DØ Diboson Results



$W\gamma$

Preliminary cross section

Indication of radiation
amplitude zero

PRD 71, 091108 (2005)

PRL 100, 241805 (2008)

$Z\gamma$

Cross section measured

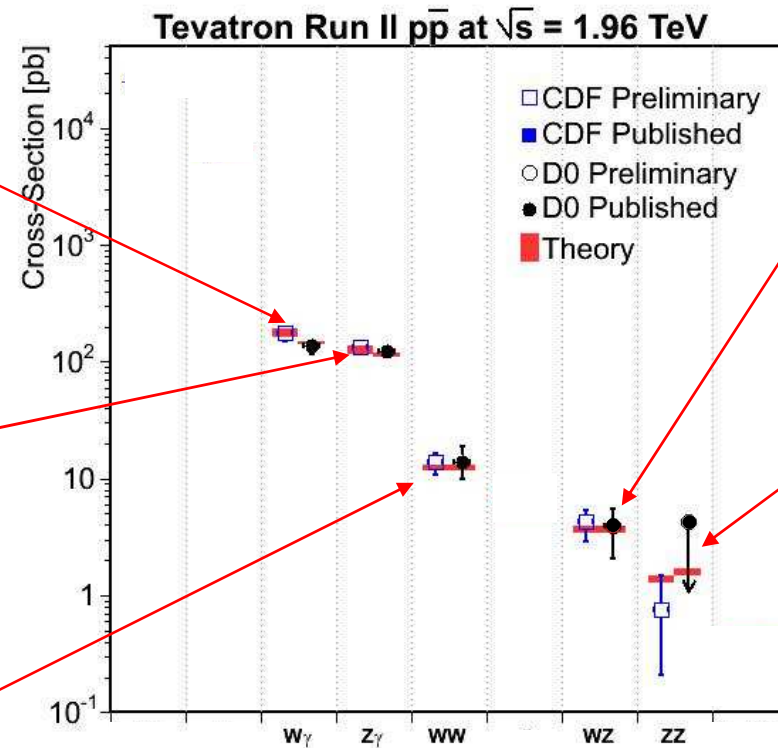
Limits on $ZZ\gamma$ and $Z\gamma\gamma$
couplings

PLB 653, 378 (2007)

WW

Cross section measured

PRL 94, 151801 (2005)



WZ

First evidence

Limits on WWZ couplings

PRD 76, 111104(R) (2007)

ZZ

Cross section limit

Limits on ZZZ and $ZZ\gamma^*$
couplings

PRL 100, 131801 (2008)



ZZ Production



★ Very small production cross section

◆ $\sigma^{\text{NLO}}(ZZ) = 1.4 \pm 0.1 \text{ pb}$

[J.M. Campbell and R.K. Ellis
PRD 60, 113006 (1999)]

- sqrt(s): 2.0 → 1.96 GeV
- $\alpha = 1 / 128.89$
- $\sin^2(\theta_w) = 0.2312$
- PDFs to CTEQ6.6M

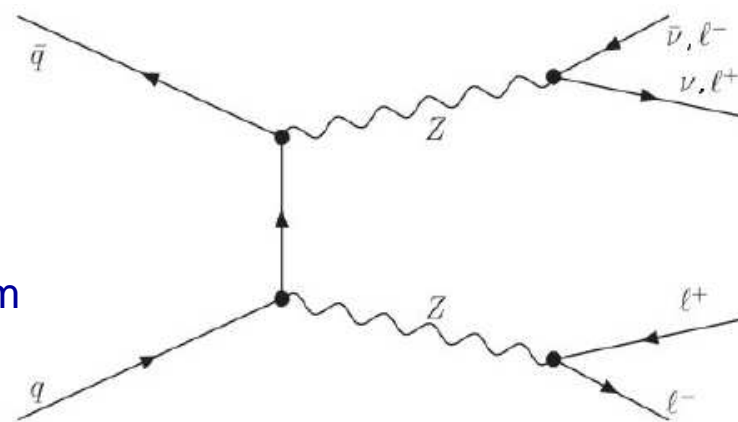
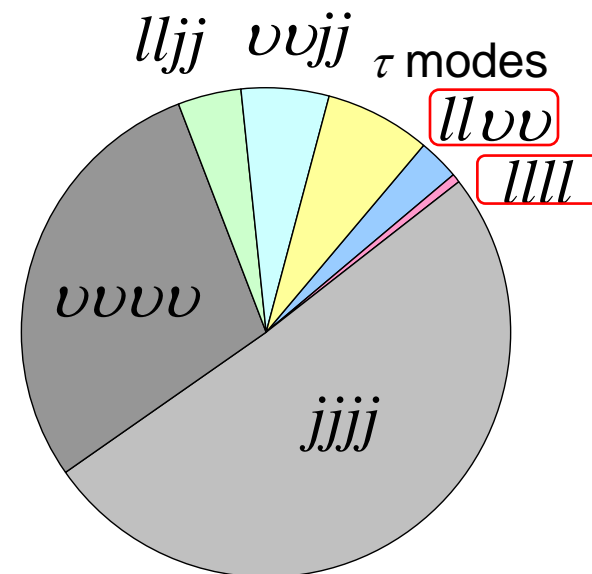
★ Two main decay modes studied:

◆ $ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$, with $l = e \text{ or } \mu$

- Several significant background processes: WW, Z+jets, WZ, Drell-Yan production
- $\text{BR} = 2 \times 0.2 \times (2 \times 0.033) = 0.026$
- Use multivariate likelihood approach to discriminate between signal and background

◆ $ZZ \rightarrow llll$, with $l = e \text{ or } \mu$

- Very clean: low background contamination from Z/γ +jets and $t\bar{t}$ processes
- 6 times smaller $\text{BR} = (2 \times 0.033)^2 = 0.0044$
- Look directly for four lepton signature



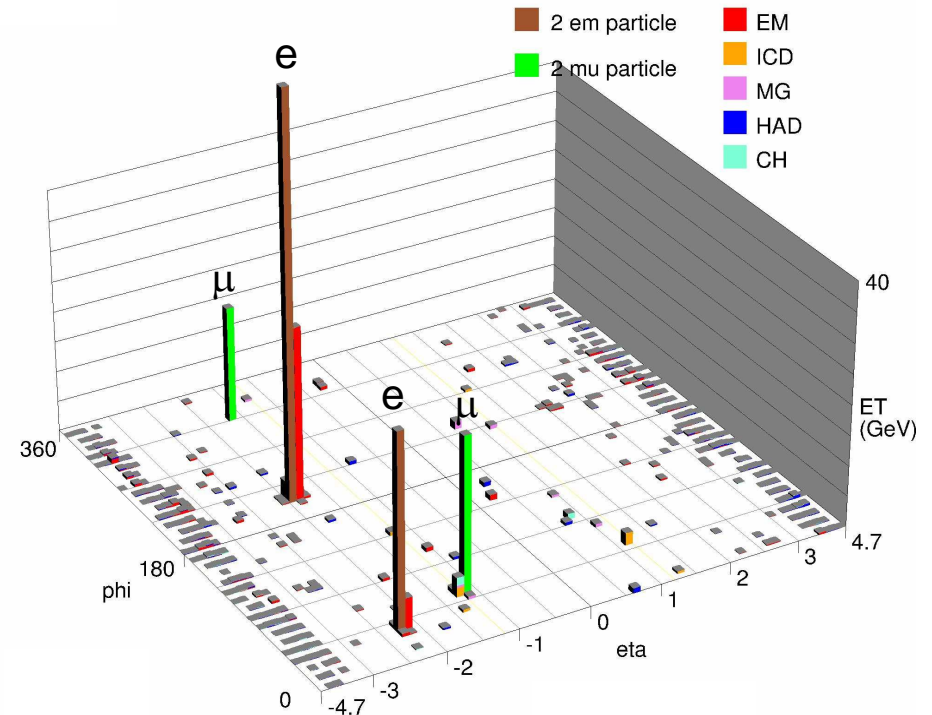


First DØ ZZ Analysis



- ★ Looked at 4e, 4μ and 2e2μ channels
- ★ Required a dilepton mass cut of 30 GeV
- ★ Observe one $ee\mu\mu$ candidate in 1 fb⁻¹ of data
 - ◆ Expected background of 0.13 ± 0.03 vents
 - ◆ SM predicts 1.71 ± 0.15 events
 - $M(ee) = 93.4$ GeV
 - $M(\mu\mu) = 33.4$ GeV
- ★ Set upper limit of $\sigma(ZZ/Z\gamma^*) < 4.4$ pb at 95% CL
- ★ Set Limits on Anomalous Couplings

Run 208854 Evt 35162371



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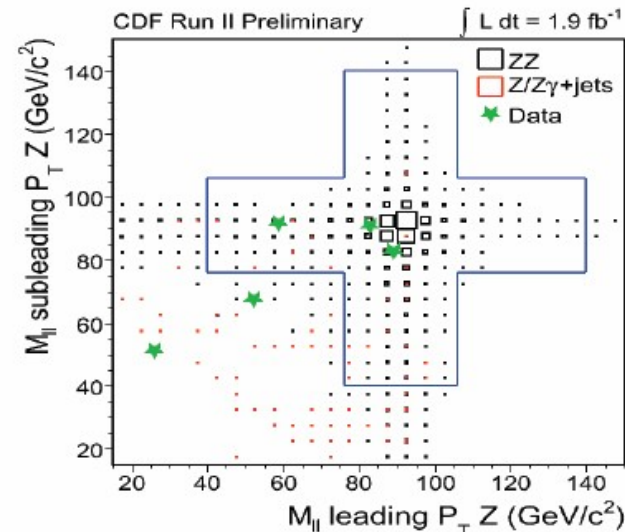
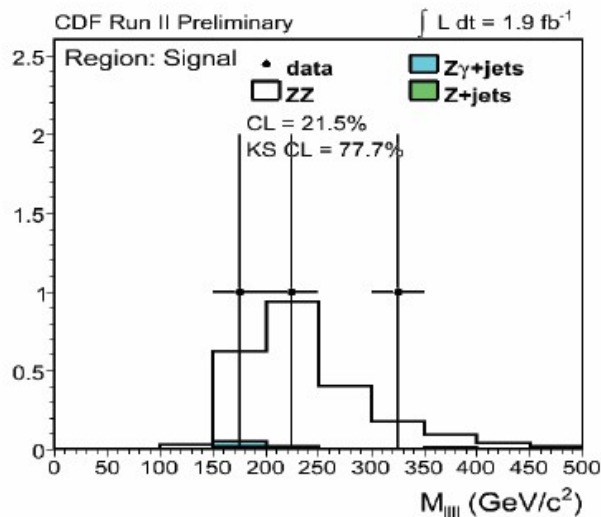


CDF $ZZ \rightarrow ll ll$



- ★ Split $4e$, 4μ and $2e2\mu$ into 7 exclusive categories depending whether a lepton has a track and/or is identified explicitly
- ★ One pair of leptons with $M(ll)$ in $[76 - 106]$ GeV; the other pair with $M(ll)$ in $[40 - 140]$ GeV

1 fb ⁻¹ Category	Candidates without a a trackless electron	Candidates with a a trackless electron
ZZ	$1.990 \pm 0.013 \pm 0.210$	$0.278 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.029$
Z+jets/Z γ +jets	$0.014^{+0.010}_{-0.007} \pm 0.003$	$0.082^{+0.089}_{-0.060} \pm 0.016$
Total	$2.004^{+0.016}_{-0.015} \pm 0.210$	$0.360^{+0.089}_{-0.060} \pm 0.033$
Observed	2	1





CDF $ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$ and Combination



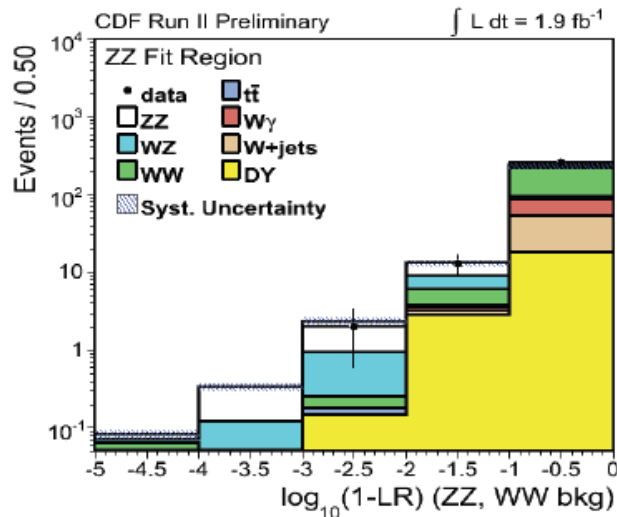
- ★ Select events with $ee/\mu\mu$ and large MET. Veto on central jets to suppress $t\bar{t}$ contribution.

- ◆ Observe 276 events in preselected sample

- ◆ Expect 14 ± 2 signal events

- ★ Use full kinematic information to form a likelihood ratio

$$LR \equiv \frac{P_{ZZ}}{P_{ZZ} + P_{WW}}$$



- ★ Combine $ZZ \rightarrow llll$ and $ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$ channels:

50% chance to observe 5σ effect

	Observed Results		
P-Value	0.12	1.1×10^{-5}	5.1×10^{-6}
Significance	1.2σ	4.2σ	4.4 σ

- ★ Cross section measurement:

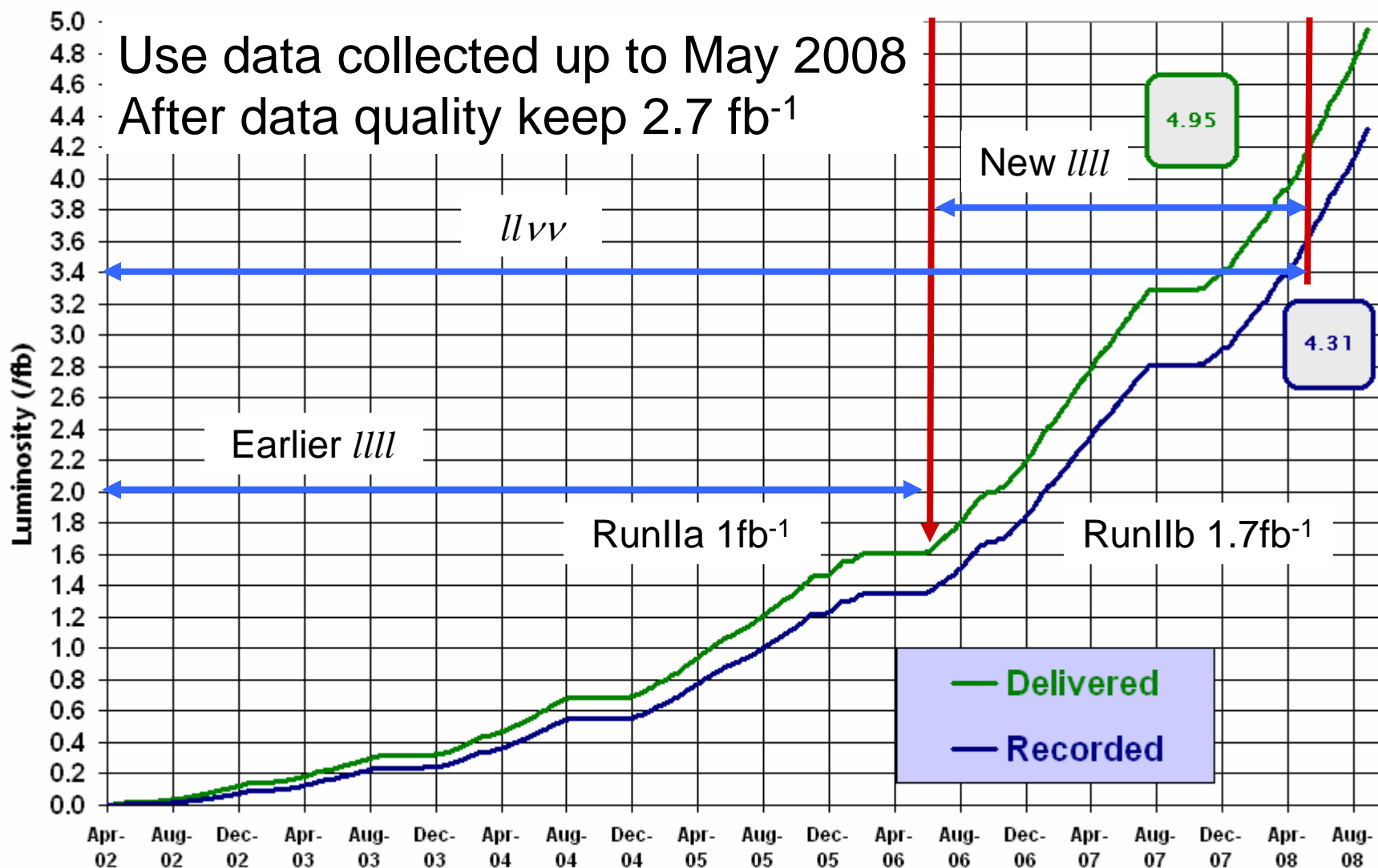
$$\sigma(ZZ) = 1.4^{+0.7}_{-0.6} \text{ pb}$$

PRL 100, 201801 (2008)



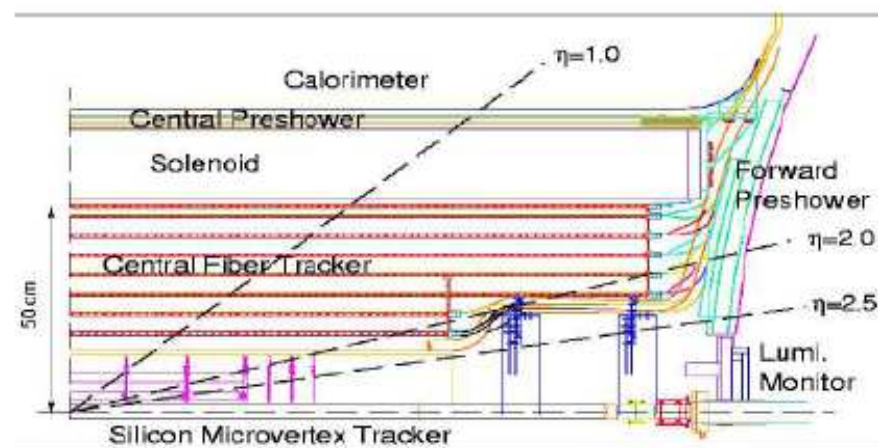
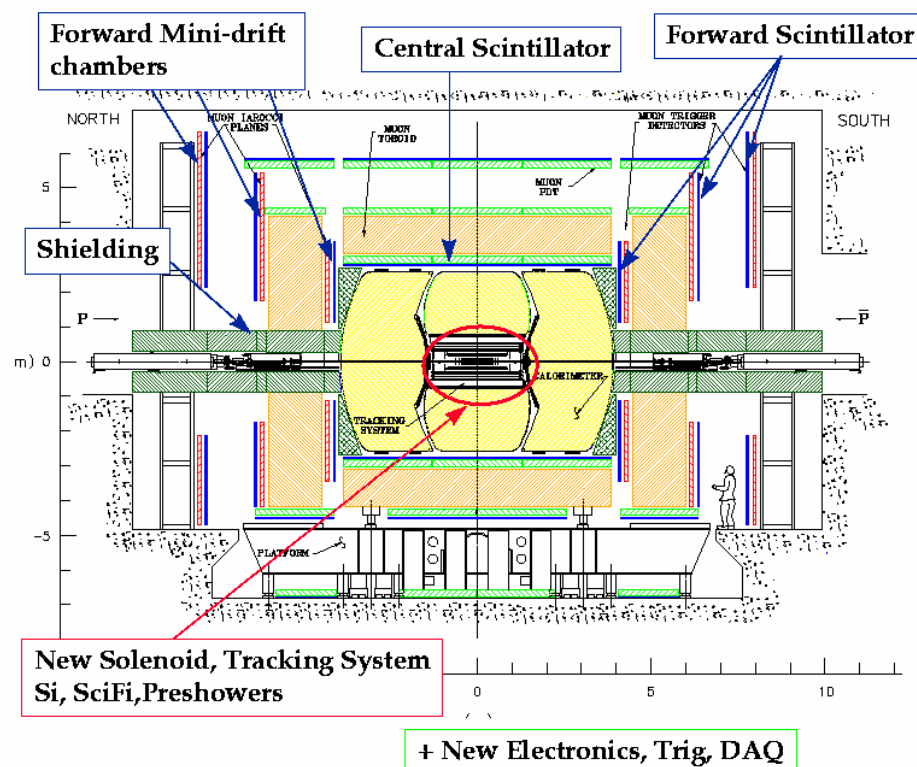
Run II Integrated Luminosity

19 April 2002 - 14 September 2008





The DØ Detector



- ★ Silicon micro-strip vertex detector
- ★ Scintillating fiber tracker
- ★ 2 T solenoid magnet
- ★ Uranium Liquid Argon calorimeter
- ★ 1.8 T toroid magnet
- ★ Wire tracking / scintillation counter muon detector
- ★ Pseudorapidity coverage:
 - ◆ Electrons: $|\eta| < 3.2$
 - ◆ Muons: $|\eta| < 2.0$



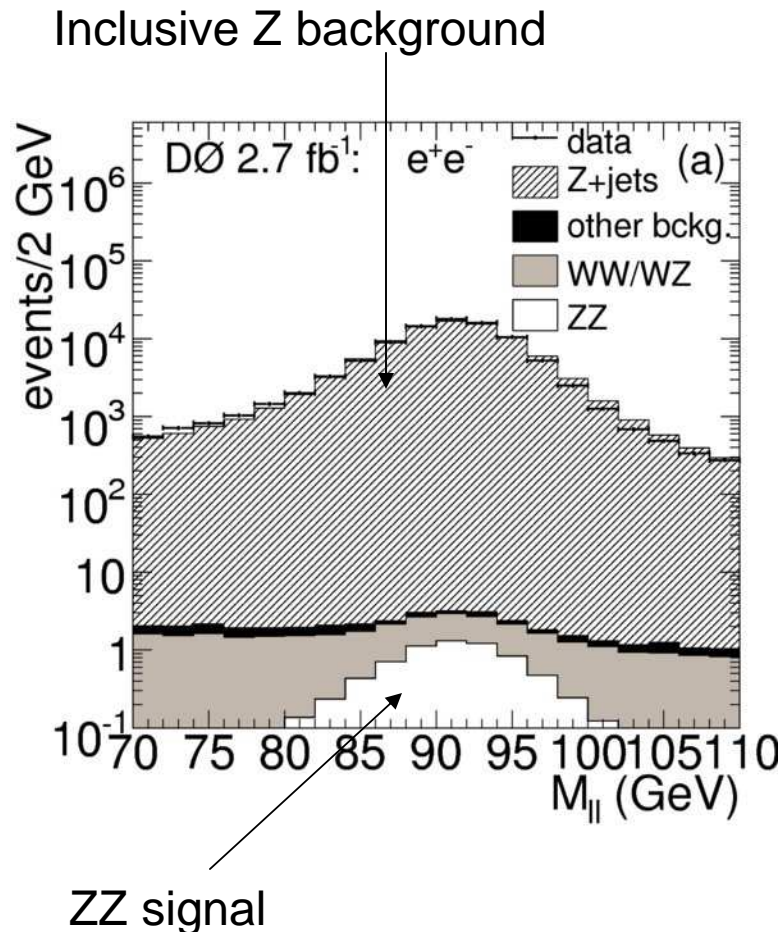
$$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$$



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Electron Selection



2.7fb^{-1} : OR of single electron triggers – Normalize to the Z peak in Data



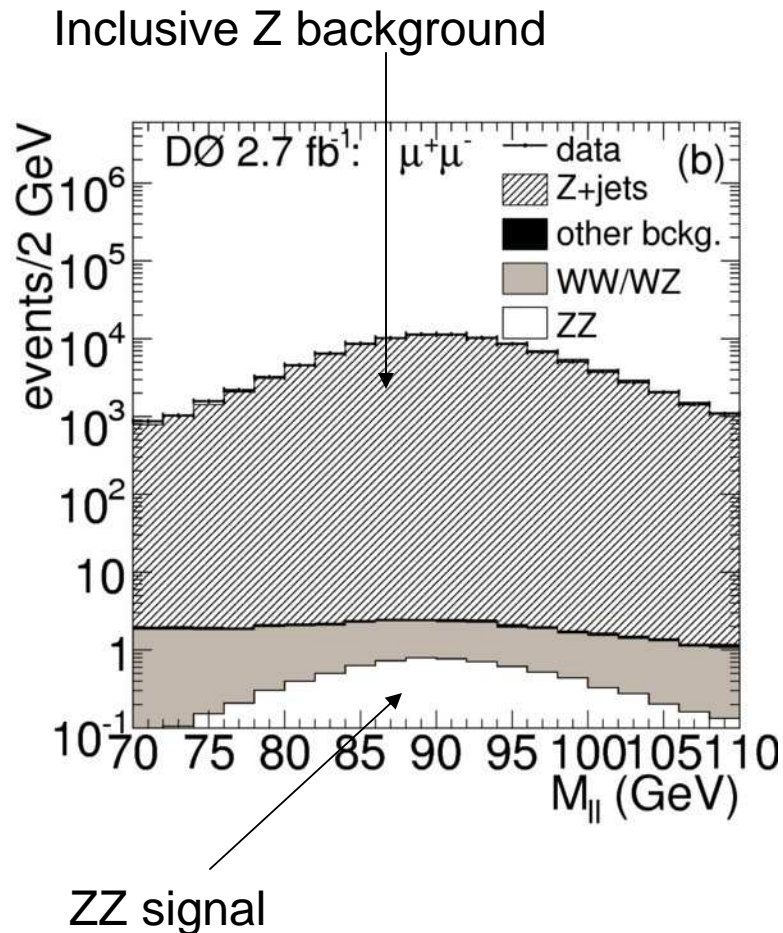
- ★ $p_T > 15 \text{ GeV}$
- ★ Within the central ($|\eta| < 1.1$) or forward ($1.5 < |\eta| < 2.5$) calorimeter regions
- ★ Tight Isolation
- ★ Tight cut on multi-variate parameter of energy and shower distribution



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Muon Selection



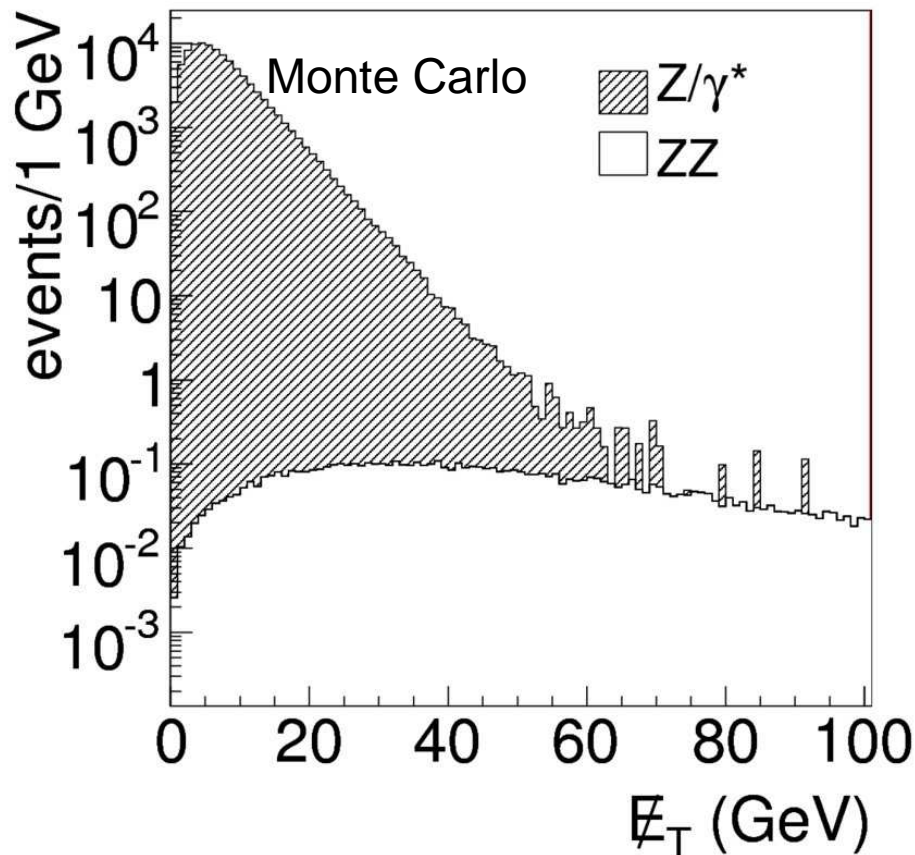
2.7fb⁻¹ : OR of single muon triggers – Normalize to the Z peak in Data



- ★ $p_T > 15$ GeV
- ★ Central track match with:
 - ◆ at least 1 hit in the Silicon Microstrip Tracker (SMT)
 - ◆ A distance of closest approach < 0.02 cm
- ★ Tight calorimeter isolation



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Event Selection



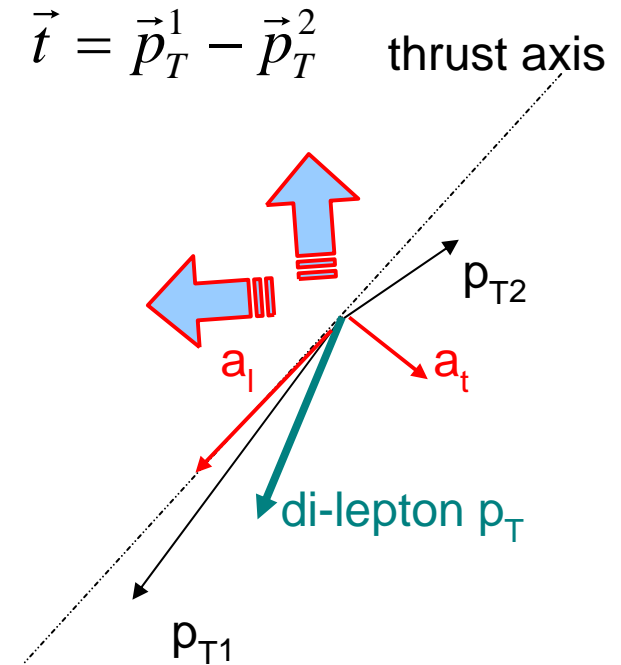
- ★ Reject events with low p_T or poorly reconstructed electrons, muons, taus and isolated tracks
- ★ Require # of jets ≤ 2 w/
 $p_T > 15$ GeV
- ★ Require Di-lepton Invariant Mass
 $70 < M_{ll} < 110$ GeV
- ★ Need to filter against Z/γ^* events with no expected large MET
 - ◆ MET alone is not a sufficient discriminator due to the difficulties of measuring it in a detector



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Motivating METPrime



- ★ To reduce the contribution of fake MET no direct cut on MET \rightarrow build a variable sensitive to “true MET”
 $\vec{t} = \vec{p}_T^1 - \vec{p}_T^2$ thrust axis
- ★ decompose di-lepton p_T in 2 components with respect to thrust axis:
 - ◆ a_l : sensitive to p_T mismeasurement
 - ◆ a_t : sensitive to recoil activity mismeasurement
- ★ build a variable which gives more weight to a_t (add in quadrature with different weights) $\rightarrow \hat{E}_T'$
- ★ balance against activity in the opposite hemisphere and conservatively reduce using the corresponding uncertainties



By construction, all uncertainties and misreconstruction can ONLY reduce the value of \hat{E}_T'

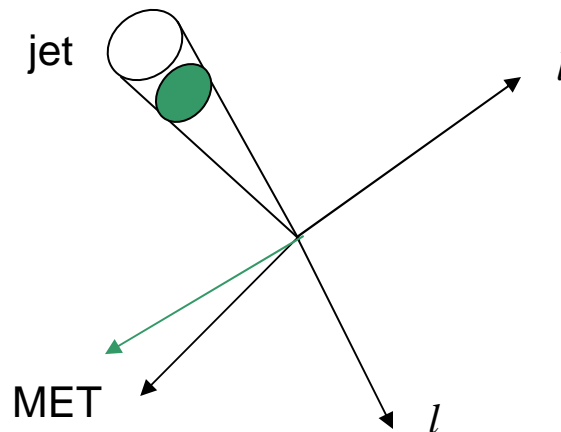


★ Calorimeter Recoil Activity

- ◆ based on the vector sum of jet E_T or the uncorrected missing transverse energy, picking the one with the largest magnitude
- ◆ A jet is only included in the sum if it's p_T is in the direction opposite the dilepton pair

$$\delta a_t^{cal} = 2 \times \min(\Sigma \vec{p}_T^{jets} \cdot \hat{a}_t, -\vec{E}_T \cdot \hat{a}_t, 0)$$

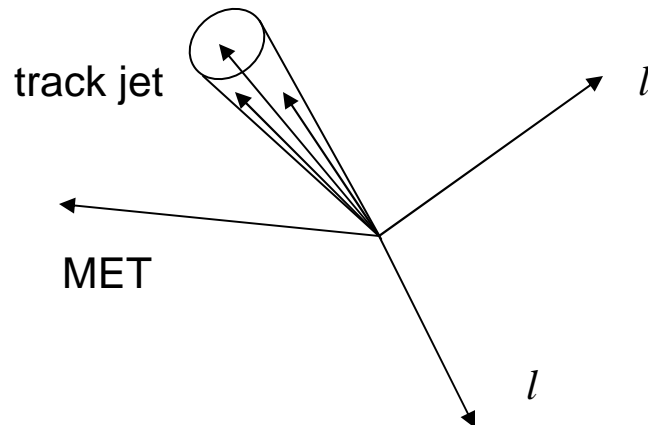
$$\delta a_l^{cal} = 2 \times \min(\Sigma \vec{p}_T^{jets} \cdot \hat{a}_l, -\vec{E}_T \cdot \hat{a}_l, 0)$$





★ Recoiling Tracks

- ◆ Account for tracks which are well separated from the candidate leptons and calorimeter jets
 - Form jets of tracks with cone size 0.5:
 - Accounts for events in which the recoil activity is not observed in the calorimeter as jets.
 - Trackjets as well are only included in the sum if their p_T is in the direction opposite the dilepton pair



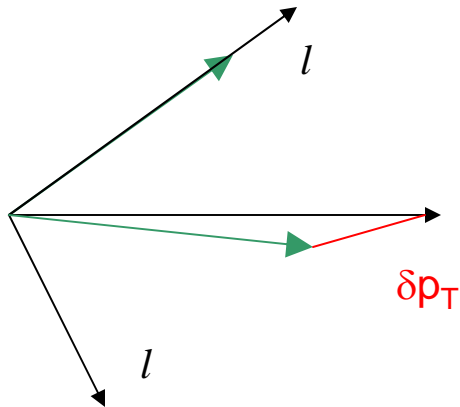
$$\delta a_t^{trk} = (\sum \vec{p}_T^{tjet}) \cdot \hat{a}_t$$

$$\delta a_l^{trk} = (\sum \vec{p}_T^{tjet}) \cdot \hat{a}_l$$



★ Lepton p_T Uncertainty

- ◆ accounting for lepton transverse momentum measurement uncertainties
- ◆ Fluctuate the lepton p_T by one standard deviation, minimizing the projections of the dilepton



$$\vec{p}'_T = (1 - \sigma) \vec{p}_T$$

$$a_t^{\ell\ell'} = \vec{p}_T^{\ell\ell'} \cdot \hat{a}_t'$$

$$\delta a_t^{\ell\ell} = a_t^{\ell\ell'} - a_t^{\ell\ell}$$

$$\delta a_l^{\ell\ell} = (-\sigma_1 \vec{p}_T^{(1)} + \sigma_2 \vec{p}_T^{(2)}) \cdot \hat{a}_l$$



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: METPrime Construction



- ★ Components are computed with optimized factors k and k' determined by applying a loose cut on METPrime and maximizing signal over background

$$\begin{aligned}a_t &= a_t^{\ell\ell} + \delta a_t^{cal} + k' \times \delta a_t^{trk} + k \times \delta a_t^{\ell\ell} \\a_l &= a_l^{\ell\ell} + \delta a_l^{cal} + k' \times \delta a_l^{trk} + k \times \delta a_l^{\ell\ell}\end{aligned}$$

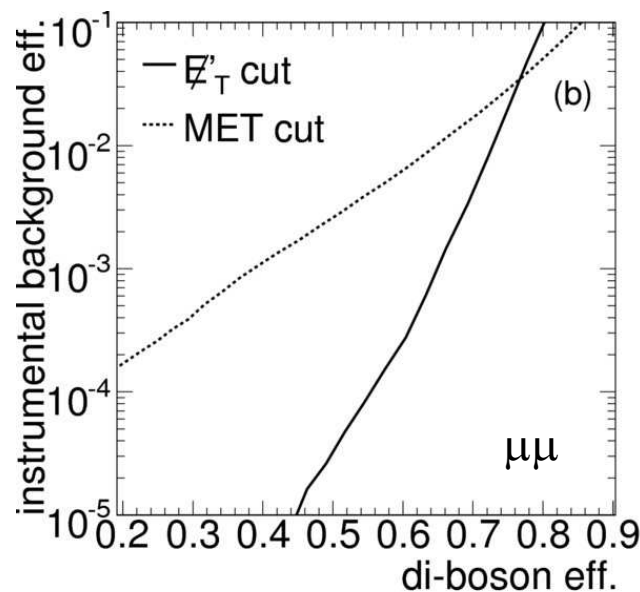
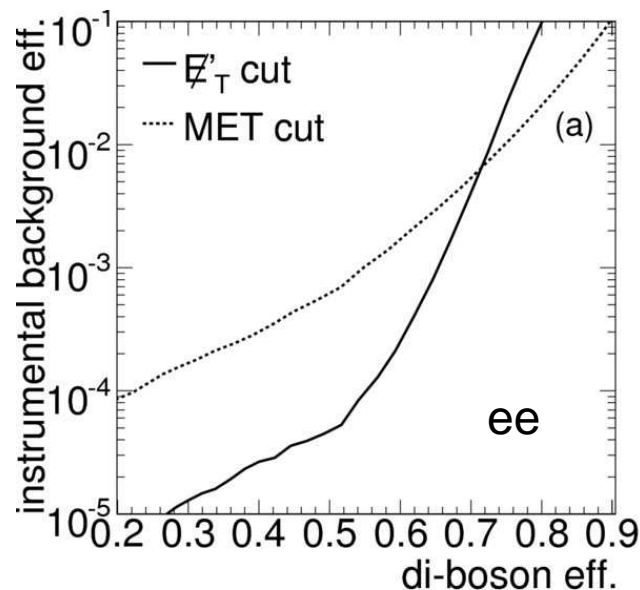
- ★ If there is no significant missing transverse momentum in a particular direction (component is < 0), the component is ignored

$$\begin{aligned}a'_t &= \max(a_t, 0) \\a'_l &= \max(a_l, 0)\end{aligned}$$

- ★ Final METPrime is: $E'_T = \sqrt{a'^2_l + (1.5a'_t)^2}$



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: METPrime Performance



- ★ The efficiency of WW, WZ, and ZZ events vs Inclusive Z events using MET and METPrime

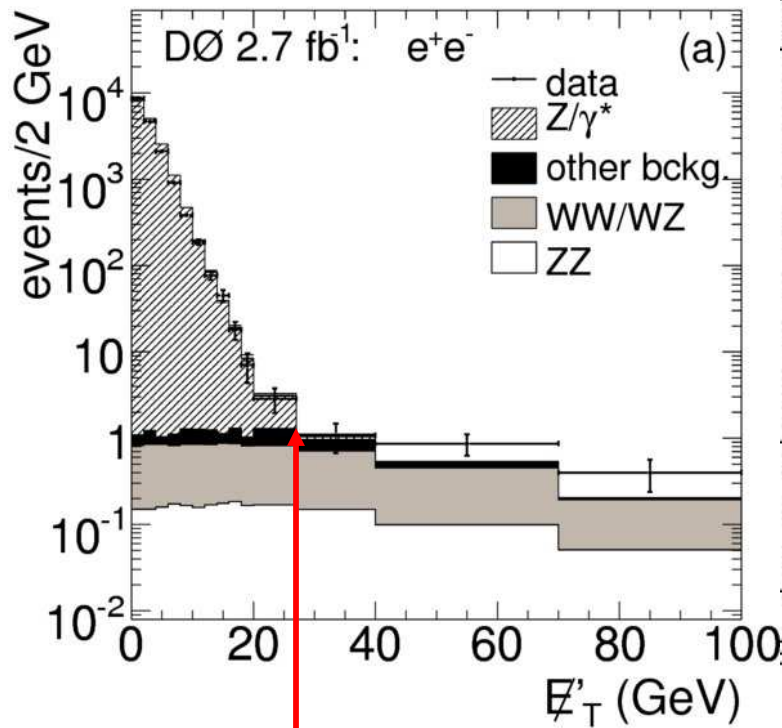
- ◆ Signal efficiency

- 0.45 for ee
- 0.36 for $\mu\mu$

- ★ See over an order of magnitude better rejection using METPrime



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: ee Results

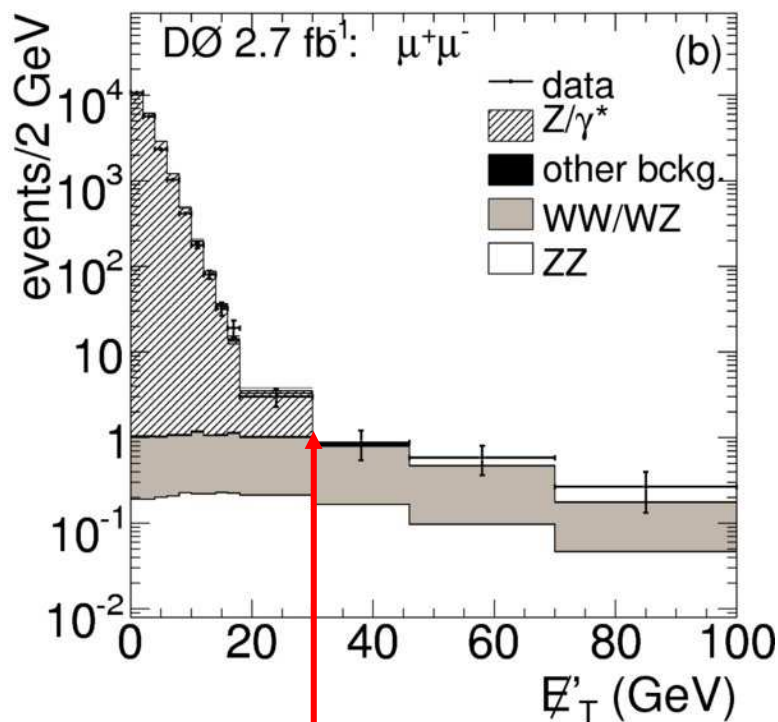


METPrime Cut

Sample	dilepton selection	E_T' requirement
$Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$	1.18×10^5	0.5 ± 0.2
$Z \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$	48.3	0.35
W+Jets	18.2	2.7 ± 0.4
$t\bar{t}$	16.4	0.34
WW	28.0	10.6 ± 0.1
WZ	19.2	1.08
$W\gamma$	2.0	0.01
Predicted Background	1.19×10^5	15.6 ± 0.4
$ZZ \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \ell'^+ \ell'^-$	2.9	0.02
$ZZ \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \nu \bar{\nu}$	8.9	4.03
Predicted Total	1.19×10^5	19.6 ± 0.4
Data	118,850	28



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu: \mu\mu$ Results



METPrime Cut

Sample	dilepton selection	E_T' requirement
$Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$	1.30×10^5	0.1 ± 0.1
$Z \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$	53.3	0.09
W+Jets	—	< 0.01
$t\bar{t}$	16.0	0.21
WW	32.0	9.7 ± 0.1
WZ	18.3	0.82
Predicted Background	1.30×10^5	10.9 ± 0.3
$ZZ \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \ell'^+ \ell'^-$	2.89	0.00
$ZZ \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \nu \bar{\nu}$	9.48	3.39
Predicted Total	1.30×10^5	14.3 ± 0.3
Data	127,960	15



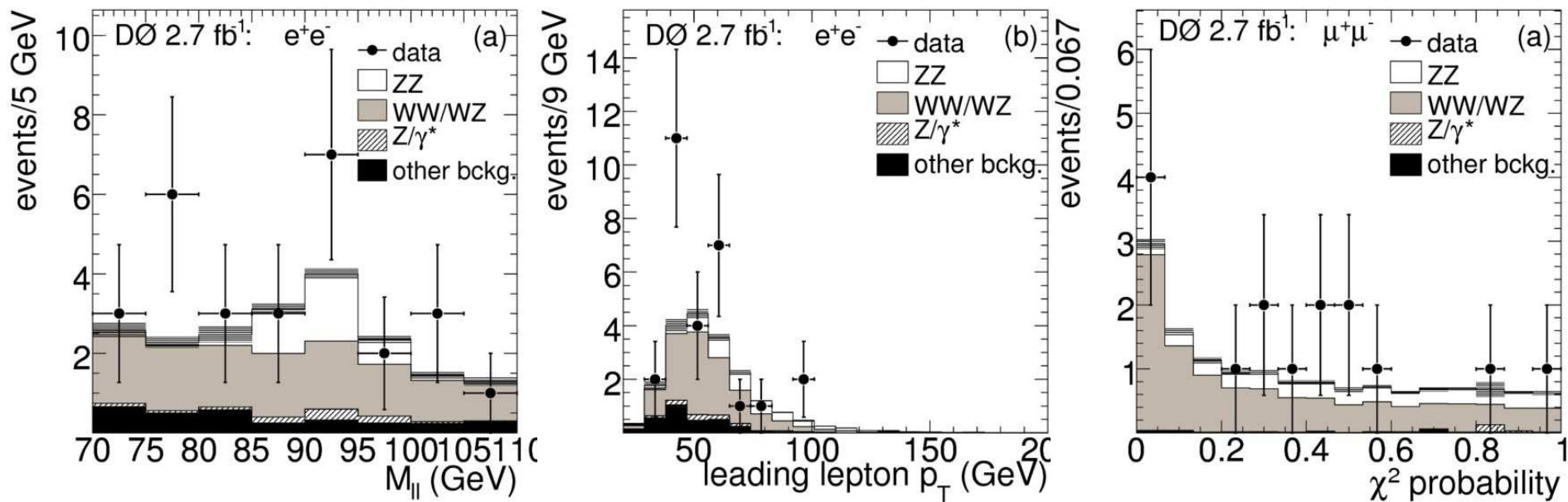
$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Likelihood Input



The ZZ signal is extracted from the remaining backgrounds using a likelihood

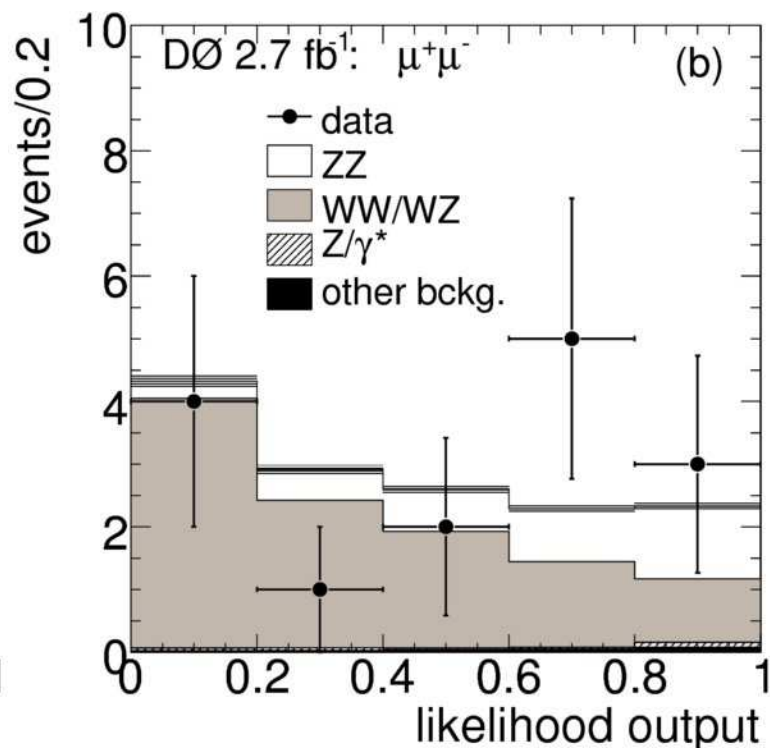
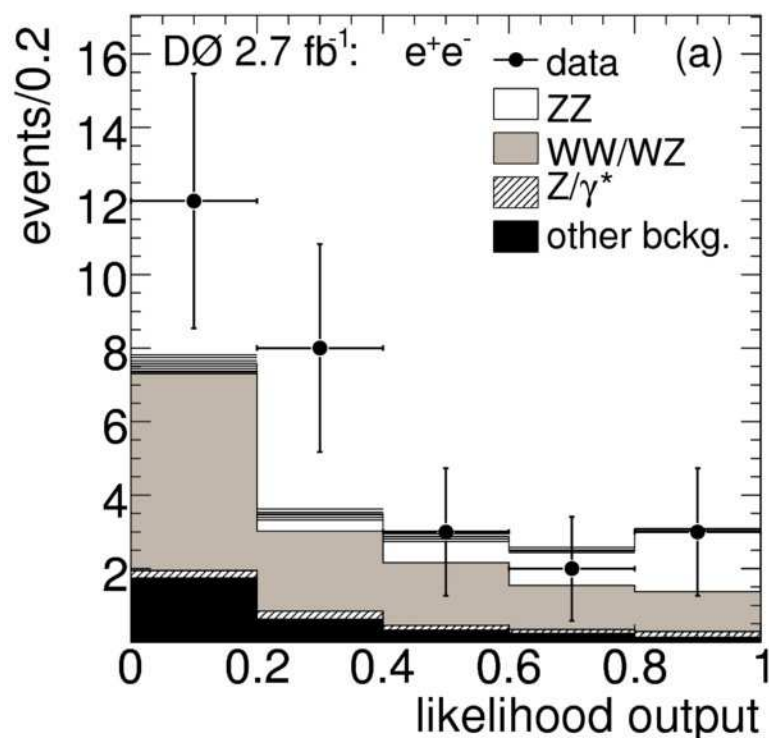
Likelihood
Variables:

- Di-lepton mass (m_{ll})
- $\Delta\Phi(\text{lead lep, di-lep})$
- Chi2 kinematic fit ($\mu\mu$)
- $\cos(\theta^*)$
- Leading lepton p_T





$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Likelihood Output





$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Systematics



★ Uncertainties dominated by the following: ee ($\mu\mu$)

- ◆ 16% (-) Normalization of W+jets background
- ◆ 18% (3%) Number of Z events surviving METPrime cut
 - Influenced by small MC stats in region of cut
 - ee is more sparse than $\mu\mu$, hence the difference
 - Systematic assigned to 0.5 (0.1) predicted events, so impact on analysis is limited



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Significance



- ★ Performed using a semi-frequentist approach
 - ◆ Assume data is drawn randomly from a Poisson parent distribution
- ★ Input is the information in channels (binned)
 - ◆ s is expected signal, b is expected background, d is data
 - ◆ Generate pseudo-experiments via random Poisson with mean value from expected b and $s+b$
 - ◆ Systematic uncertainties treated using a Bayesian model
 - Treated as Gaussian-distributed, randomly sampled for each pseudo-experiment
 - Nominal background prediction varied according to smeared values of systematics, changing the mean of the random Poisson with each pseudo-experiment
- ★ Use a negative log-likelihood ratio (LLR) test statistic:

$$LLR(\vec{s}, \vec{b}, \vec{d}) = \sum_{i=0}^{N_{bins}} s_i - d_i \ln\left(1 + \frac{s_i}{b_i}\right)$$

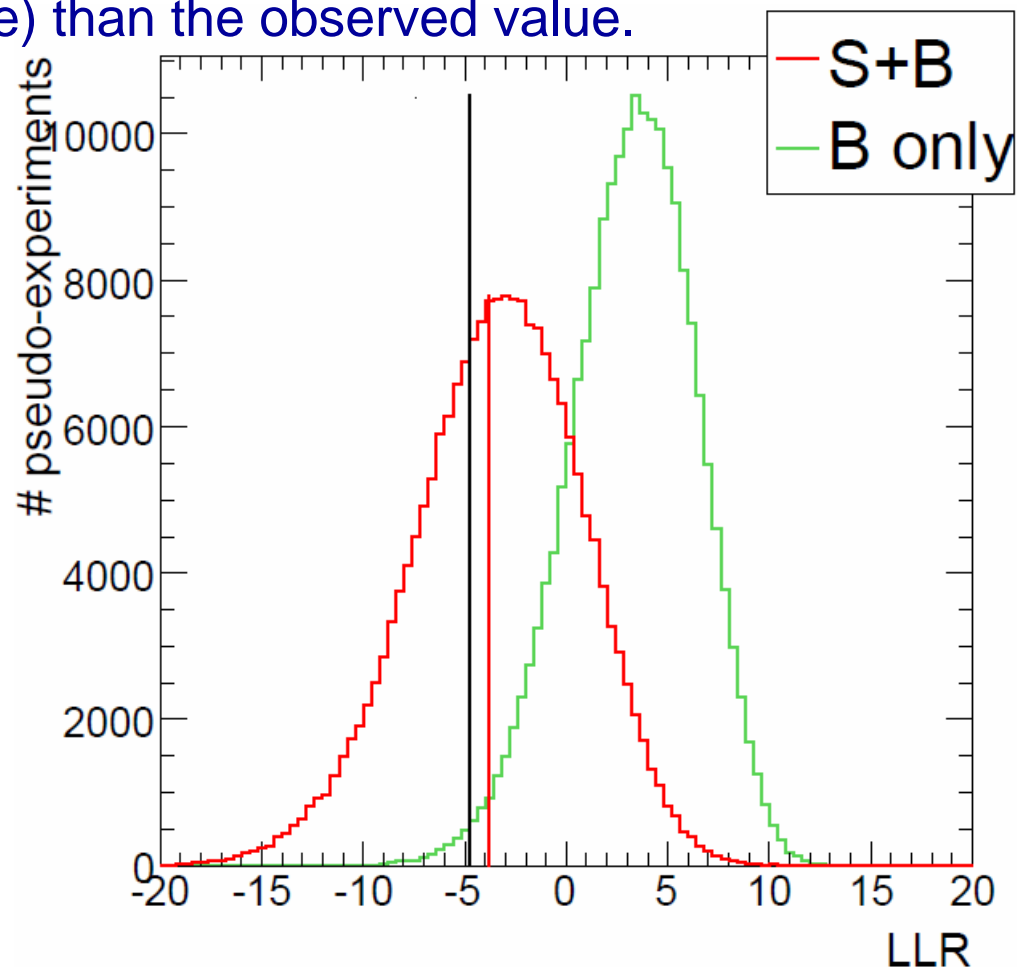


$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Significance (cont'd)



- ★ LLR is linear in bins: makes channel addition trivial
- ★ Implicitly imports info on the shapes of parent distributions
- ★ The probability that background-only hypothesis can fluctuate up to the observed yield, “p-value”, is the integral of the background-only LLR distribution below (more signal like) than the observed value.

- ★ Get a p-value of 0.0042
 - ◆ 2.6σ (2.0σ expected)
- ★ Accepted by PRD
arXiv:0808.0269 [hep-ex]
(2008)

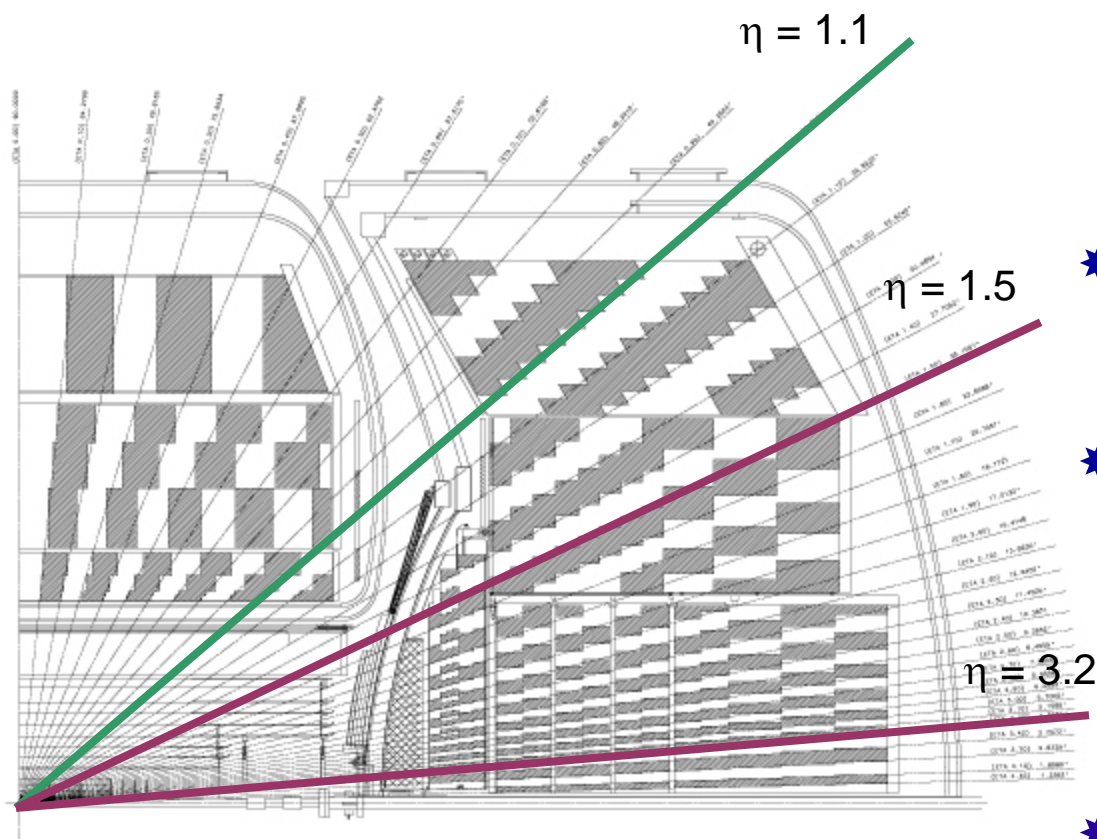




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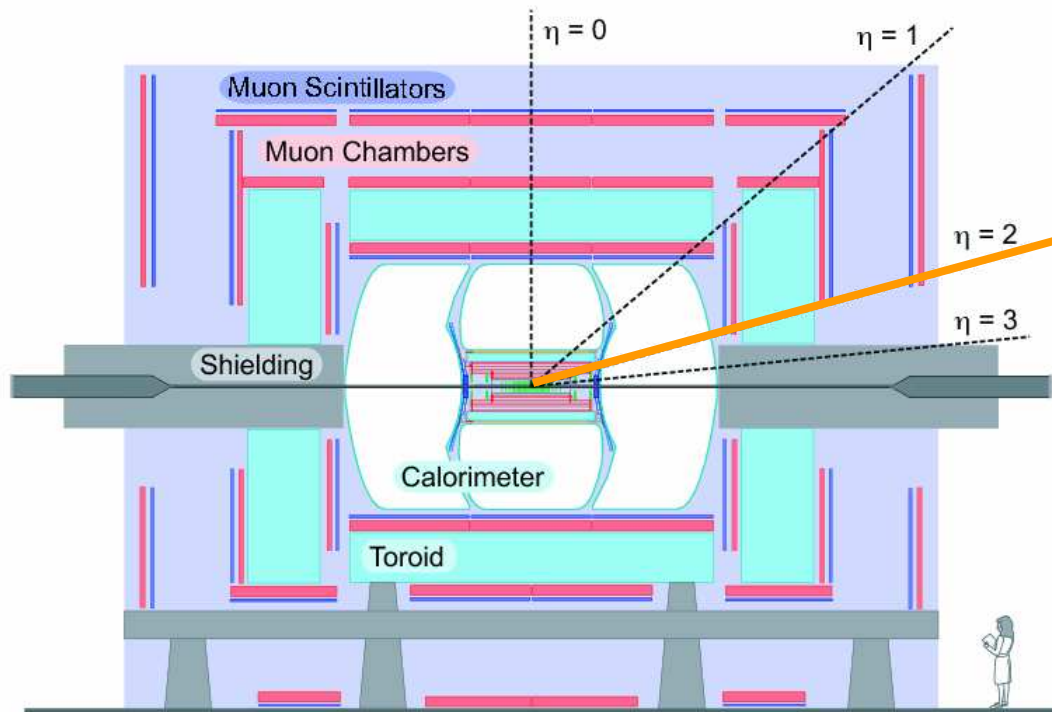
$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Electron Selection



- ★ Must be reconstructed either in the central $|\eta| < 1.1$ or forward $1.5 < |\eta| < 3.2$ EM calorimeter
- ★ Must be isolated from other energy clusters
- ★ Central electrons must be matched to a track and satisfy a cut on multi-variate parameter of energy and shower distribution
- ★ Forward electrons not required to have track, but must satisfy more stringent shape requirements



$ZZ \rightarrow \mu\mu$: Muon Selection



- ★ Must be matched to a central track
- ★ Must satisfy timing requirements in the muon detector
- ★ Track must satisfy a distance of closest approach cut
 - ◆ < 0.02 cm w/ SMT hits
 - ◆ < 0.2 cm w/o SMT hits
- ★ Must satisfy calorimeter isolation requirements if not enough hits in the muon system

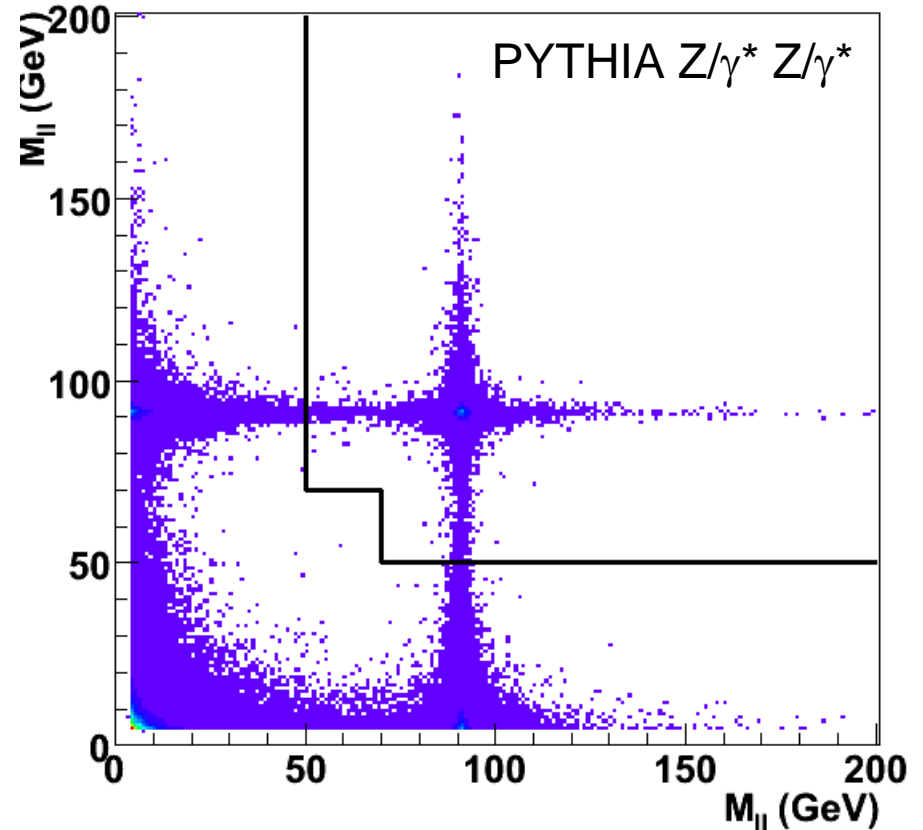


$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Mass cut



★ As it is impossible to differentiate between Z and γ^* quantum mechanical states experimentally, we must set a mass cut a priori at which we decide to call the observed particle a Z. This is based on Z/γ^* Z/γ^* PYTHIA Monte Carlo:

★ $M(Z_1) > 70$ GeV,
 $M(Z_2) > 50$ GeV





$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Event Selection



★ Common Requirements

- ◆ Require passage of OR of single and di-lepton triggers
- ◆ Require 4 well reconstructed leptons
 - $p_{T1} > 30 \text{ GeV}$, $p_{T2} > 25 \text{ GeV}$, $p_{T3} > 15 \text{ GeV}$, $p_{T4} > 15 \text{ GeV}$
- ◆ $M_1(ll) > 70 \text{ GeV}$, $M_2(ll) > 50 \text{ GeV}$

★ 4e

- ◆ Break into subchannels of 2, 3 or 4 central electrons
 - QCD background expected to decrease based on number of track matched electrons

★ 4 μ

- ◆ Require at least three calorimeter isolated muons to reduce $t\bar{t}$ background
- ◆ Cosine of angle between all pairs < 0.96 to reduce misreconstruction
- ◆ Require tracks to originate from primary vertex

★ 2e2 μ

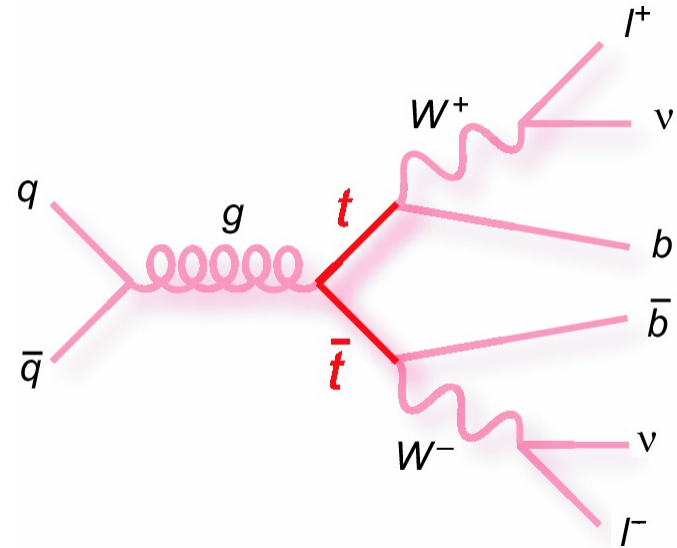
- ◆ Require passage of common triggers OR electron-muon triggers
- ◆ Require two well reconstructed electrons and muons
 - $p_{T1} > 25 \text{ GeV}$, $p_{T2} > 15 \text{ GeV}$ in both cases
- ◆ Break into subchannels of 0, 1 or 2 central electrons
- ◆ Require isolation (for at least one muon), angle and track requirement as muons
- ◆ $\Delta R > 0.2$ between electrons and muons to remove inclusive $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ events where muons radiate a photon



$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Expectation



- ★ Use PYTHIA Monte Carlo passed through GEANT simulation
 - ◆ Normalize to luminosity using mass cut on MC truth mass of the Z bosons
- ★ Apply appropriate cut flow
- ★ For signal expectation, also include small contribution from case where Z decays to τ pair which then decays to satisfy cut flow requirement
- ★ For $t\bar{t}$ background, use a sample of $t\bar{t} \rightarrow 2b + 2l + 2\nu$



- ★ End with acceptance x efficiency which is used to extract the expected yield



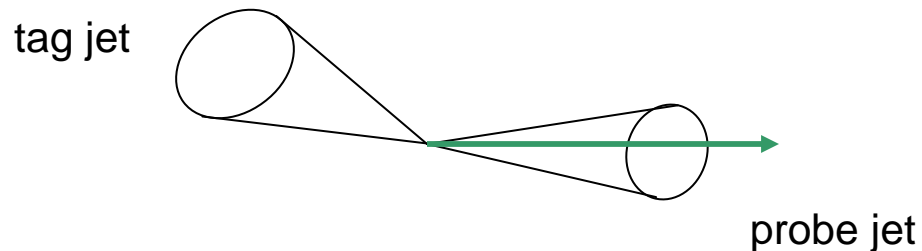
$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Lepton Misidentification



★ Calculate lepton misidentification rate of jets using tag and probe method from data

- ◆ Require two jets, one of which must pass tight requirements (tag) and the other (probe) is in the opposite direction
- ◆ Look for good leptons in the event that are near the probe jet

Require some energy in EM calorimeter, energy in the hadronic calorimeter not caused by “hot” cells in detector



- ◆ Ratio of events where probe jet is associated to a lepton to all probe jets is the misidentification rate
 - For electrons, this is parameterized in terms of η and p_T and is on the order of 4×10^{-4} for central jets and 5×10^{-3} for forward jets
 - For muons, this is parameterized in terms of tag jet p_T and probe jet η for different muon p_T and isolation. For jets of $p_T = 15$ (100) GeV that aren't isolated is on the order of 10^{-4} (10^{-2}) and if isolated 10^{-5} (10^{-4})



$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: QCD Background



- ★ Misidentification rate is then applied to data requiring jets in the final state
- ★ For 4e look at 3e+jet, for 2e2 μ look at 2 μ +e+jet and 2e+2jets final states to account for contributions from Z+ γ +jets where the γ has been converted to an electron, plus Z/W/WZ/WW+jet contributions
 - ◆ This method double counts the contribution from Z+jets, so is corrected by finding the contribution from 2e+2jet and 2 μ +2jet final states. This correction is O(20%).
- ★ For the 4 μ channel, just use 2 μ +2jet final state, but no mass cut is applied since the kinematics between muons and jets is different



$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Systematics



★ Systematics are dominated by the following:

◆ Signal:

- 4% (2.5%) uncertainty on lepton identification and reconstruction efficiencies for $4e, 4\mu$ ($2e2\mu$)
- 6.1% uncertainty in luminosity

◆ $t\bar{t}$:

- 10% from uncertainty in cross section and variation in cross-section and acceptance from uncertainty in top mass

◆ QCD:

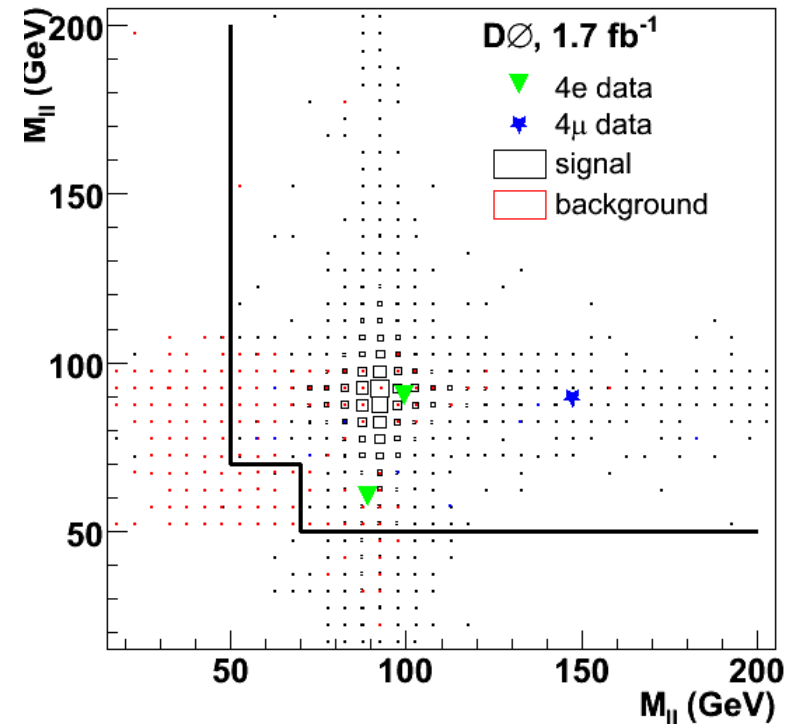
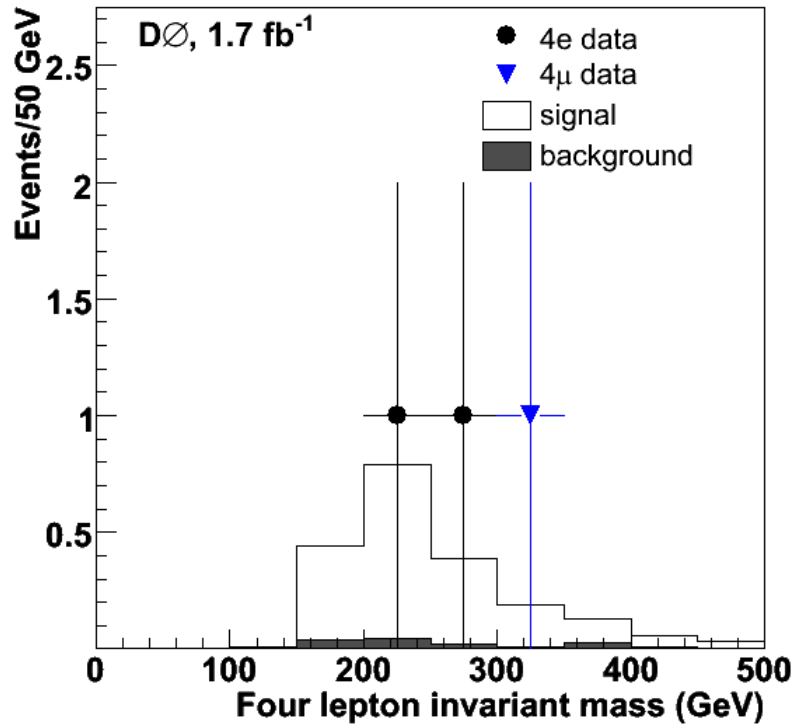
- 30% due to uncertainty in misidentification rates estimated by varying selection criteria in control samples



$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Results



Subchannel	$4e2C$	$4e3C$	$4e4C$	4μ	$2\mu2e0C$	$2\mu2e1C$	$2\mu2e2C$
Luminosity (fb^{-1})	1.75 ± 0.11	1.75 ± 0.11	1.75 ± 0.11	1.68 ± 0.10	1.68 ± 0.10	1.68 ± 0.10	1.68 ± 0.10
Signal	0.084 ± 0.008	0.173 ± 0.015	0.140 ± 0.012	0.534 ± 0.043	$0.058^{+0.007}_{-0.006}$	0.352 ± 0.040	$0.553^{+0.045}_{-0.044}$
$Z(\gamma)+\text{jets}$	$0.030^{+0.009}_{-0.008}$	$0.018^{+0.008}_{-0.007}$	$0.002^{+0.002}_{-0.001}$	0.0003 ± 0.0001	$0.03^{+0.02}_{-0.01}$	0.05 ± 0.01	$0.008^{+0.004}_{-0.003}$
$t\bar{t}$	—	—	—	—	$0.0012^{+0.0016}_{-0.0009}$	0.005 ± 0.002	$0.0007^{+0.0009}_{-0.0005}$
Observed events	0	0	2	1	0	0	0

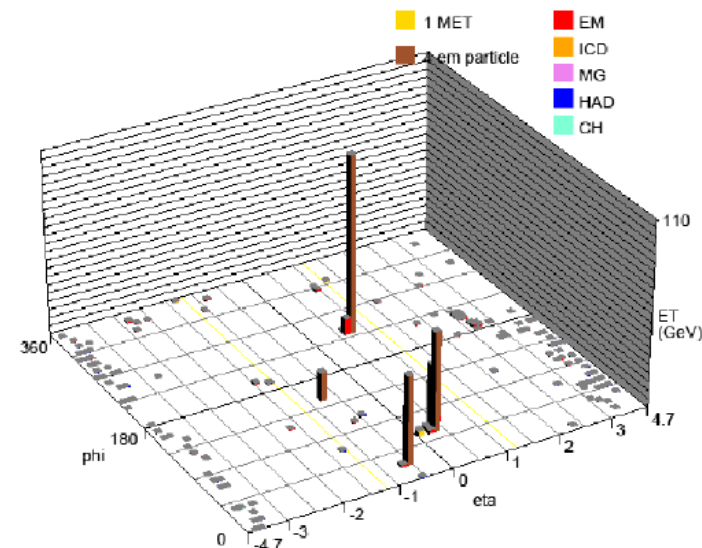




ZZ → llll: Candidate 1



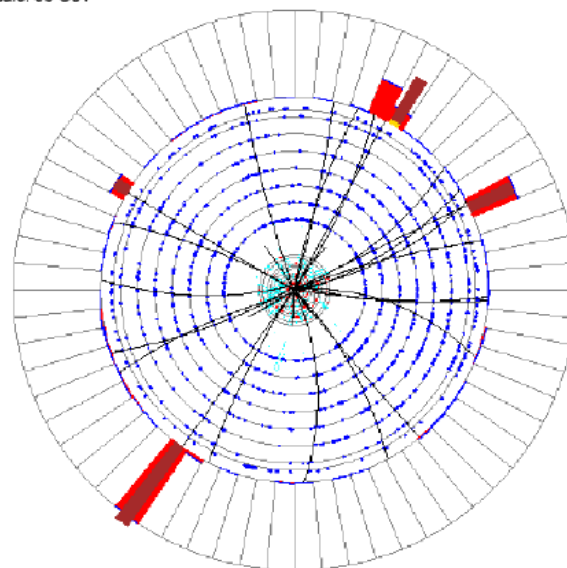
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ET scale: 98 GeV

4e candidate 1		e_1^+	e_2^+	e_3^-	e_4^-
	p_T (GeV)	107	59	52	16
	η	0.66	0.25	-0.64	-0.85
	ϕ	4.10	1.08	0.46	2.62
	$M_{\ell\ell}$ (GeV)	$e_1^+ e_4^-$ 89 ± 3		$e_2^+ e_3^-$ 61 ± 2	

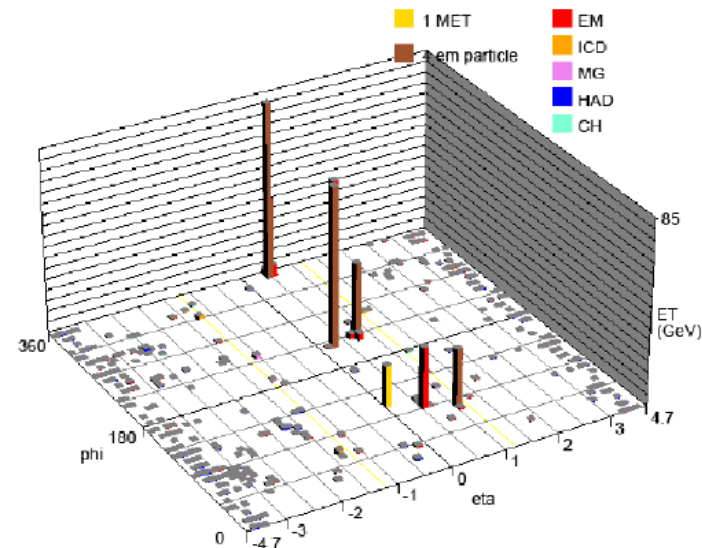




$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Candidate 2



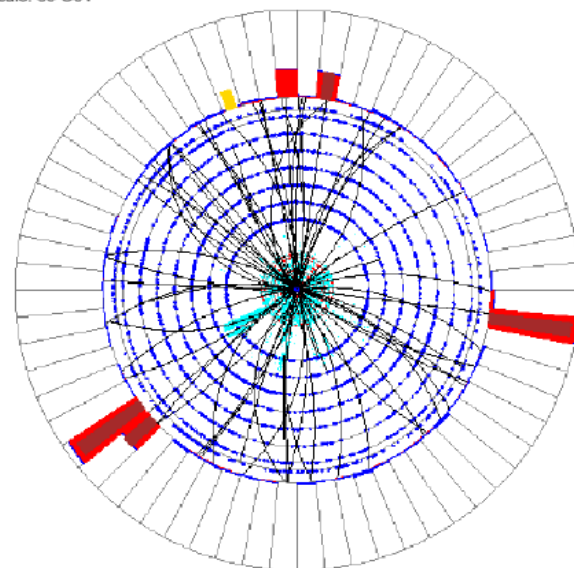
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ET scale: 86 GeV

4e candidate 2		e_1^+	e_2^+	e_3^-	e_4^-
	p_T (GeV)	83	75	35	26
	η	0.64	0.40	0.85	1.17
	ϕ	6.16	3.80	3.83	1.40
	$M_{\ell\ell}$ (GeV)	$e_1^+ e_3^-$ 99 ± 3		$e_2^+ e_4^-$ 90 ± 4	



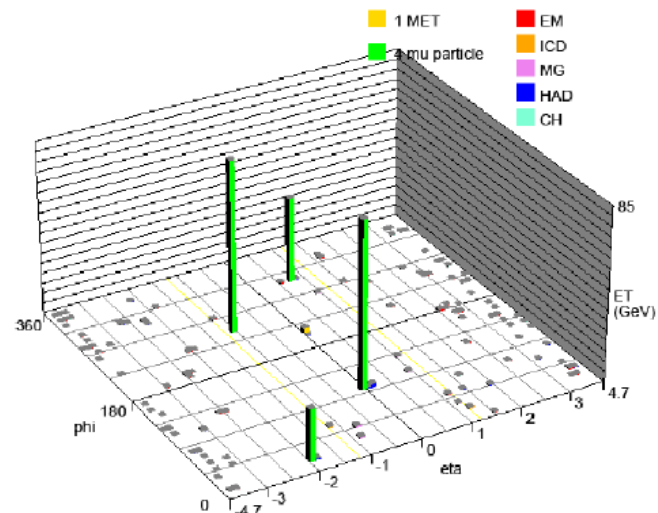


$ZZ \rightarrow llll$: Candidate 3



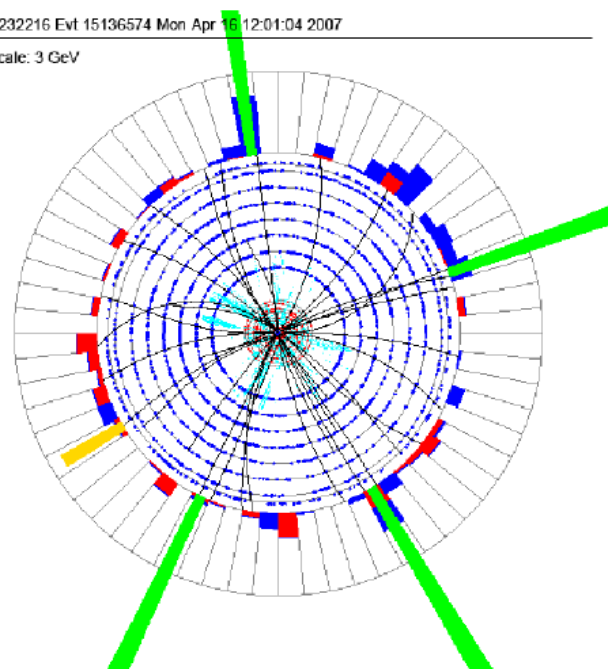
4 μ candidate		μ_1^+	μ_2^-	μ_3^-	μ_4^+
	p_T (GeV)	115	77	42	24
	η	0.04	-1.01	0.77	-1.93
	ϕ	1.69	4.26	5.29	0.36
	$M_{\ell\ell}$ (GeV)	$\mu_1^+ \mu_3^-$ 148^{+32}_{-18}		$\mu_2^- \mu_4^+$ 90^{+12}_{-8}	

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ET scale: 3 GeV

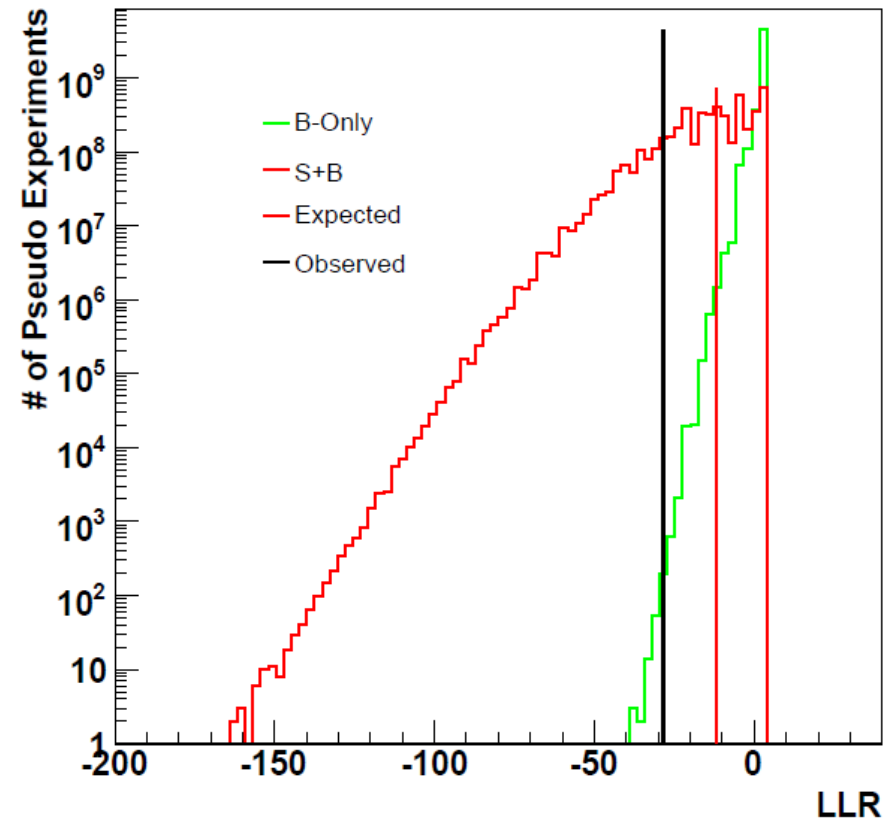




$ZZ \rightarrow lll$: Significance



- ★ Use same LLR described previously
- ★ Input is the yields (number of events) in each of the seven sub-channels
- ★ In 5×10^9 pseudo-experiments, find 213 trials with an LLR value more signal like than that observed
 - ◆ Equates to a p-value of 4.3×10^{-8}
 - ◆ 5.3σ (3.7σ expected)
- ★ Probability for signal plus background to give less signal-like observations than the observed one is 0.87





Combination



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- ★ For combination, need to scale signal and background expectation to new mass cut and we also lose the candidate event
 - ◆ Use MC samples from current analyses
 - ◆ Use mass and p_T requirements from earlier analysis
 - ◆ Remove extra isolation requirements on muons
 - ◆ Repeat only changing the mass requirement to new values
 - ◆ Determine a scale factor applied expected signal and background from previous analysis and add the three channels into the LLR calculation

- ★ A 3% systematic uncertainty is applied due to the rescaling



★ Correlated

- ◆ Lepton resolution
- ◆ ZZ p_T spectrum
 - Account for higher order corrections on signal acceptance
- ◆ PDF uncertainties

★ Uncorrelated

- ◆ Electron misidentification
 - Determined using different methods
- ◆ Multihadron sample statistics
 - Regions of phase-space are different



Results

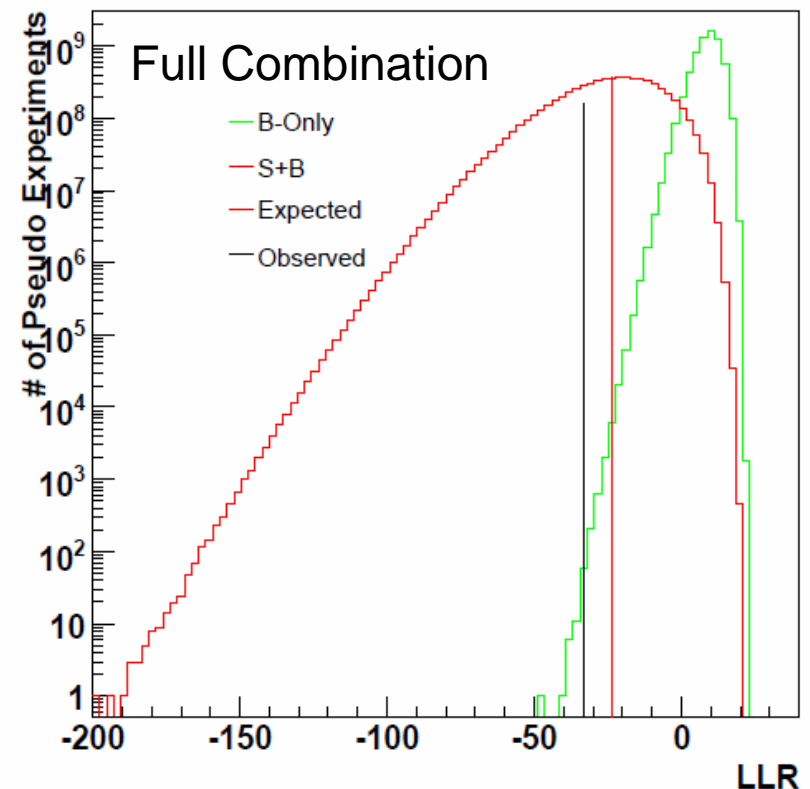


- ★ Use same LLR test statistic
- ★ Combination of the 4l analyses:

- ◆ p-value of 2.9×10^{-7}
- ◆ 5.0σ (4.2σ expected)

- ★ Combination of above with $2l2\nu$ analysis:

- ◆ p-value of 6.2×10^{-9}
- ◆ 5.7σ (4.8σ expected)



- ★ Probability for signal plus background to give less signal-like observations than the observed one is 0.71



Results



- ★ Minimize a fit to the systematic parameters in the LLR leaving the signal rate as a free parameter to extract the cross-section:

$$\sigma(ZZ) = 1.60 \pm 0.63 \text{ (stat.)}_{-0.17}^{+0.16} \text{ (syst.) pb}$$

- ★ SM prediction: $1.4 \pm 0.1 \text{ pb}$

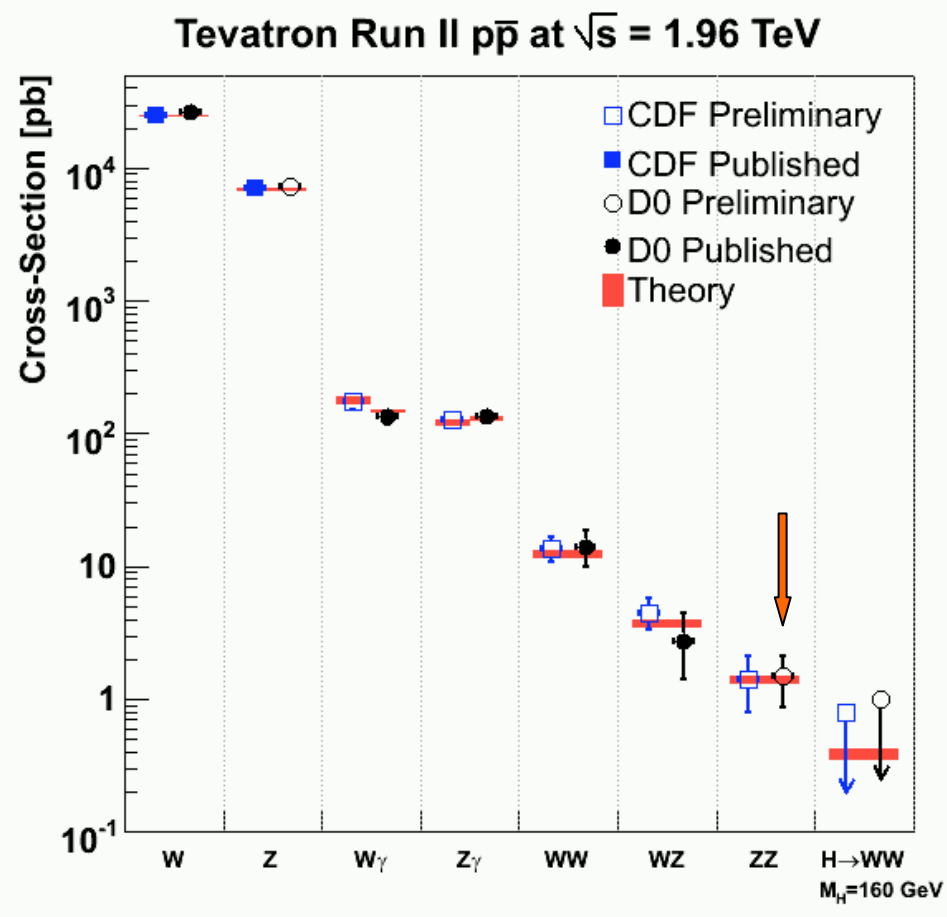
- ★ Accepted by PRL arXiv:0808.0703 [hep-ex] (2008)



Conclusions



- ★ We look for ZZ using two channels: $2l2\nu$ and $4l$
- ★ Combination of analyses results in an observation with **significance of 5.7σ**
- ★ Cross section of combination is consistent with standard model expectation and in very good agreement with value measured by CDF
- ★ More precise measurements of cross sections, study of kinematic distributions and limits on anomalous couplings as more data is accumulated



H \rightarrow WW points not yet updated



Backup

- ★ Excursions from the SM can be described via effective Lagrangian:

$$L_{WWV} / g_{WWV} = \boxed{g_V^1} (W_{\mu\nu}^+ W^\mu V^\nu - W_\mu^+ V_\nu W^{\mu\nu}) + \boxed{\kappa_V} W_\mu^+ W_\nu V^{\mu\nu} + \boxed{\lambda_V} \frac{W_{\lambda\mu}^+ W_\nu^\mu V^{\nu\lambda}}{M_W^2}$$

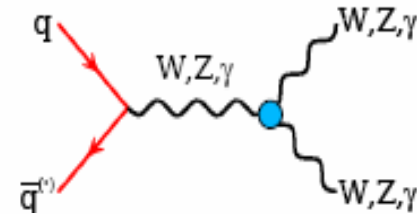
where $V = Z, \gamma$

In SM: $g_V^1 = \kappa_V = 1, \lambda_V = 0$

$$(\Delta\kappa = \kappa - 1) \quad (\Delta g^1 = g^1 - 1)$$

- ★ Cross section increases especially for High E_T bosons ($W/Z/\gamma$).
- ★ Unitarity Violation avoided by introducing a form-factor scale Λ , modifying the anomalous coupling at high energy:

$$\lambda(\hat{s}) = \frac{\lambda}{(1 + \hat{s} / \Lambda^2)^n} \quad (\text{Not an issue at LEP})$$



$q \bar{q}' \rightarrow W^{(*)} \rightarrow W \gamma$: $WW \gamma$ only
$q \bar{q}' \rightarrow W^{(*)} \rightarrow W Z$: WWZ only
$q \bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^{(*)} \rightarrow WW$: $WW \gamma, WWZ$
$q \bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^{(*)} \rightarrow Z \gamma$: $ZZ \gamma, Z \gamma \gamma$
$q \bar{q} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^{(*)} \rightarrow ZZ$: $ZZ \gamma, ZZZ$

Absent in SM

Two types of effective Lagrangians with:

on-shell $Z\gamma$	on-shell ZZ
$(Z\gamma Z^*, Z\gamma\gamma^*)$	$(ZZZ^*, ZZ\gamma^*)$
h_{10}^V, h_{20}^V	(CP violating) f_{40}^V
h_{30}^V, h_{40}^V	(CP conserving) f_{50}^V

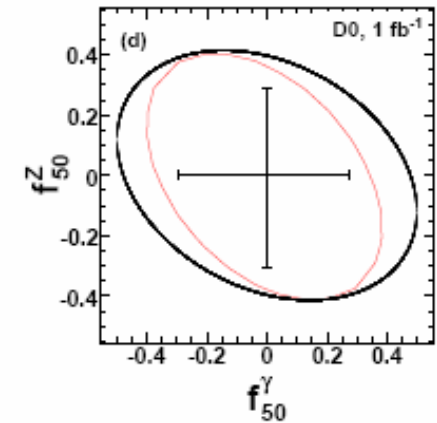
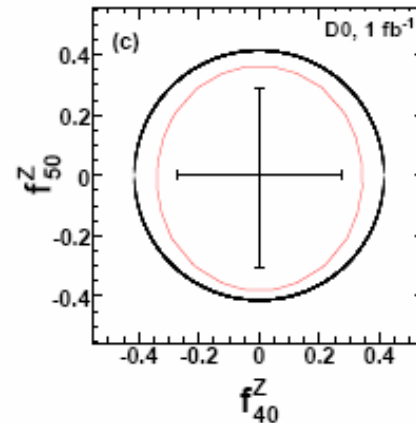
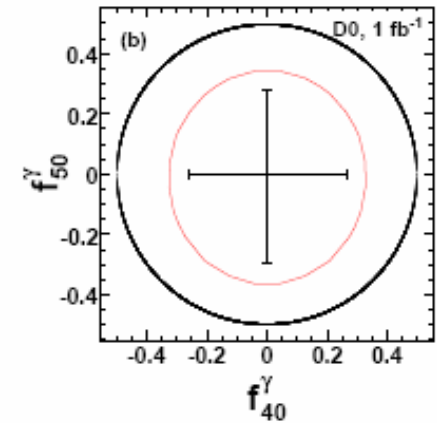
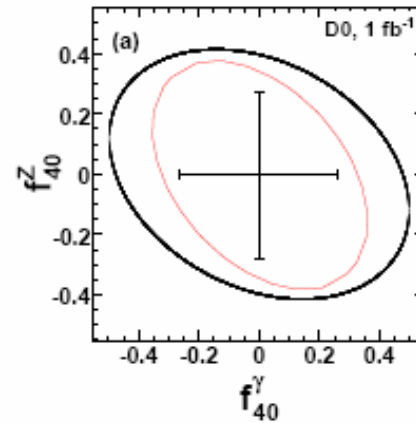
SM predicts all to be 0



Limits on anomalous ZZZ^* and $ZZ\gamma^*$ couplings

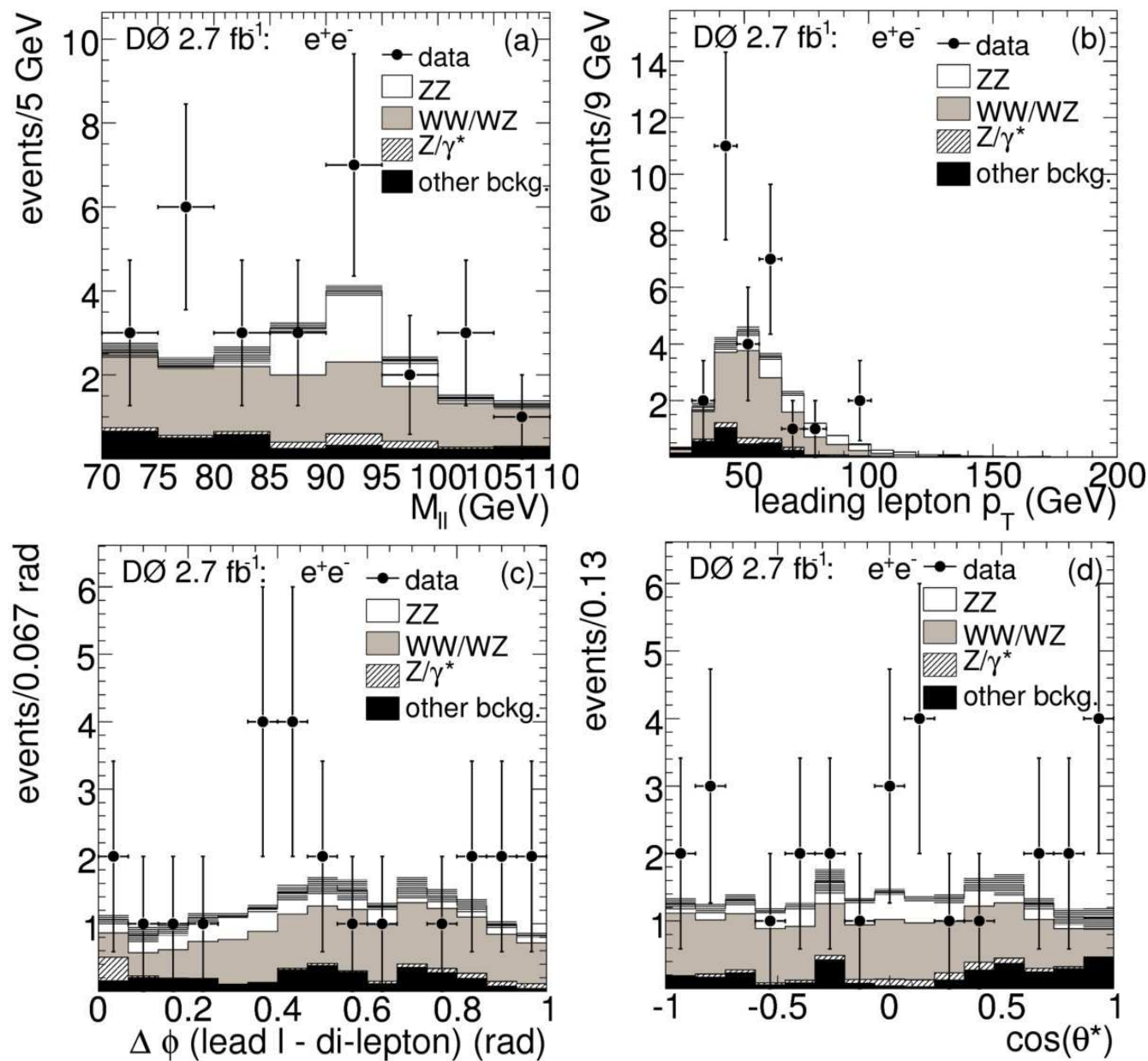


- ★ ZZ channel sensitive to two couplings
- ★ 95% CL limits on anomalous couplings for $\Lambda = 1.2$ TeV
 - $-0.28 < f_{40}^Z < 0.28$
 - $-0.31 < f_{50}^Z < 0.29$
 - $-0.26 < f_{40}^\gamma < 0.26$
 - $-0.30 < f_{50}^\gamma < 0.28$
- ★ First bounds on these limits from Tevatron
- ★ $f_{40}^Z, f_{50}^Z, f_{50}^\gamma$ are most restrictive to date





$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Dielectron likelihood Inputs



$ZZ \rightarrow ll\nu\nu$: Dimuon likelihood Inputs

